ABSTRACT OF THE DISCLOSURE

Print information that has been generated by a
first device is submitted to a second device and a print
5   job is started (S101). Whether a failure has occurred
on the side of the first device during the submission of
the print information is detected (S102). In accordance
with the detection made, it is determined to abort,
suspend or resume processing of the print job that is
10   currently being submitted. In accordance with the
determination made, abort, suspension or resumption of
processing is reported to the second device, which
receives the print information, as notification of
control of the print job (S105, S107, S109). This
15   printing control method is such that if processing of
print information is suspended owing to occurrence of a
failure, the source (the first device) that submits the
print information reports suspension to a remote device
(the second device) that is the destination of the print
20   information. It is possible to exercise control so as
to resume print processing in response to elimination of
any failure.